

# The Wongkong Telegraph.

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TUESDAY, JUNE 27, 1893.

SIX DOLLARS  
PER QUARTER

## Banks.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL £1,500,000  
SUBSCRIBED £1,150,000

BANKERS: LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.

INTEREST ALLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the Rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS.—

For 12 Months.....5 per cent.

6 " " 4 "

3 " " 3 "

JOHN THURBURN,  
Manager, Hongkong.

(Hongkong, 4th February, 1893.)

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

Authorised Capital £1,000,000  
Subscribed Capital £500,000

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:—  
D. Gillies, Esq. Chow Tang Shang, Esq.  
Chin Kit Shan, Esq. Kwan Ho Chuen, Esq.  
H. Stolterfoth, Esq.

Chief Manager, GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Branches.—London, Yokohama, Shanghai and Amoy.

BANKERS:—  
The Commercial Bank of Scotland, Paris Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ltd.)

Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per cent.

6 " " 4 "

3 " " 3 "

CURRENT ACCOUNTS 2 " " Hongkong, 24th May, 1893.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA.

HONGKONG BRANCH.

INTEREST ALLOWED 5 per cent. on Fixed Deposits for 12 Months.

4 " " 6 "

3 " " 3 "

2 " " 2 "

T. H. WHITEHEAD,  
Manager.

Hongkong, 15th May, 1893.

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL £3,000,000  
CAPITAL CALLED-UP £2,51,003-15-0

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:—  
Wm. Keswick, Esq.—Chairman.  
Adolf von Andis, Esq. F. D. Sassoon, Esq.  
Egbert Iverson, Esq. H. D. Stewart, Esq.  
David McLean, Esq.

HONGKONG COMMITTEE:—  
The Hon. J. Keswick, The Hon. C. P. Chater,  
H. Hopplus, Esq.

Head Office—3, Princes Street, London,  
Branches—Bombay, Calcutta, Hongkong, and  
Shanghai.

Agencies—Penang, Singapore, and Yokohama.

RATES OF INTEREST, ALLOWED on CURRENT ACCOUNTS

and Fixed Deposits, can be ascertained on application.

CHANTREY INCHBALD,  
Manager.

Hongkong, 10th April, 1893.

NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED, (IN LIQUIDATION).

PAYMENT OF SECOND DIVIDEND.

NOTICE is hereby given that a SECOND DIVIDEND of 10 PER CENT. will be PAYABLE ON APPLICATION, at the Office of THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED, (IN LIQUIDATION), on and after MONDAY, the 5th June, to all CREDITORS whose Claims have been received and admitted.

E. W. RUTTER,  
Attorney for the Liquidators,  
New Oriental Bank Corporation, Limited, (In Liquidation).

Hongkong, 29th May, 1893.

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## Intimations.

GEORGE FENWICK AND COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that during the Temporary Absence of Mr. GEORGE FENWICK from the Colony, Mr. WILLIAM G. WINTERBURN, will Act as GENERAL MANAGER of the Company.

By Order, GEO. FENWICK,  
General Manager,  
Hongkong, 8th June, 1893.

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## NOTICE.

THE Partnership of EWENS & REECE having been DETERMINED, are now PRACTISING in my own Name at 63, Queen's Road Central.

C. EWENS.

Hongkong, 21st June, 1893.

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## Insurances.

EXAMPLES OF THE COST OF ASSURANCE TO A MAN AGED 30 NEXT BIRTHDAY.

£1,000 STG. payable at death, would cost per quarter at the rate of:—

£ 6 18 a (a) If premiums are payable for whole of life;

or £ 9 11 6 (b) If premiums are limited to 20 years;

or £ 11 4 6 (c) If premiums are limited to 15 years;

or £ 13 0 0 (d) If the Sum Assured is made payable at age 50, or at death if previous\* Secured payments.

THE same provisions if commenced at age 40 n. b. would cost respectively (a) £8 15 0, (b) £11 0, (c) £13 2 4, (d) £17 8 per quarter.

DODWELL, CARLILL & CO., Agents.

679-1 STANDARD LIFE OFFICE

SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on favourable terms. Current rates, and a guaranteed Bonus equal to that paid by the local Offices.

S. J. DAVID & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, 1st November, 1893.

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## GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED.)

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000. EQUAL TO £833,333-33.  
RESERVE FUND £38,000,00.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

LEE SIMO, Esq. LO YU MOON, Esq.

LOU TSO SHUN, Esq.

MANAGER.—HO AMEI.

MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST. Hongkong, 17th December, 1893.

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## Intimations.

### NOTICE.

LESSONS in ENGLISH given to either FOREIGNERS or CHINATANS by Miss MOONEY at No. 22, Caine Road.

Terms on application.

Hongkong, 10th June, 1893.

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## NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the TRADE MARKS of the MAN LOONG (MAN LUNG) FIRM, Manufacturers of PRESERVED GINGER and other SWEETMEATS, have been registered in this Colony pursuant to Ordinance No. 16 of 1873.

Head Office—HONAM, CANTON, Hongkong Office—No. 376, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

LEUNG YU SANG, WONG HOI CHOW, Managers.

Hongkong, 11th May, 1893.

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## INDOOR GAMES and REQUISITES.

American Squeezers—Plain and Gilt.

Mascotte Whist Cards.

Khaaboo—New Chinese Game.

Camden, Foster and Cavendish Whist Markers.

Cheer Boards and Men.

Draught Boards and Men.

Race Games.

Sets of Dice and Cups.

Poker Chips—All values.

Holma.

Reversi.

Three very popular Games.

Colonito.

Sets of Belique.

Cabbage Boards.

How to Play Solo Whist.

The All England Series of Books on Solo Whist.

—Cards and Euchre—Piquet and Rubicon.

Piquet—Belique and Cribbage Chess—Dominoes and Solitaire—Draughts and Backgammon.

## Intimations.

### W. BREWER.

CHAMBER'S ENCYCLOPEDIA, Complete 10 vols. \$35.  
VICTOR HUGO'S NOVELS, Complete Edition in English, Beautifully Illustrated, 12 vols. \$12.  
WEBSTER'S UNABRIDGED DICTIONARY, \$7.  
NEW NOVELS 111. NEW MUSIC 111.  
BOOKS OF TRAVELS.  
AMER CAN SONG ROLIOS, Nos. 1, 2, 3, & 4, at \$1.  
TENNIS BATS, TENNIS BALLS, &c.  
ARTISTS' MATERIALS.  
NEW WATER COLOR BOXES.

FANCY STATIONERY.

LADIES' TENNIS SHOES.

CHEAP COMMERCIAL ENVELOPES.

W. BREWER,  
UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL,  
QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, 20th May, 1893.

## Intimations.

### NOTICE.

THE BAND of the SHROPSHIRE LIGHT INFANTRY being previously engaged on WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, the GYMKHANA is hoped will be held on the HAPPY VALLEY, on FRIDAY, the 20th June, at 5 p.m.

A. H. THOMAS, Captain, Hongkong, 26th June, 1893.

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EAST POINT DAIRY AND FARMING COMPANY, LIMITED, (WONG-NA CHONG).

CONTRACTORS TO THE GOVERNMENT CIVIL HOSPITAL AND THE ROYAL NAVAL HOSPITAL.

THE above Company undertakes to Supply the general public with COWS FRESH MILK, CREAM and BUTTER from the 1st prox. at the following prices:—

Cow's Fresh Milk, 2 6 Cents per Imperial Pint Bottle.

Fresh Cream, 2 6 Cents per Pint.

Butter, 2 6 Cents per Pound.

Orders from any part of the Colony and British Kowloon, will be sent to the Company's Office, No. 51, Queen's Road Central, will be promptly attended to.

Hongkong, 20th June, 1893.

## Shipping.

### STEAMERS.

"SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS.  
FOR SINGAPORE, LONDON AND HAMBURG.

THE Steamship

"FLINTSHIRE."

Captain Dryer, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 28th instant, at Daylight, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, 27th June, 1893.

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FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

THE Steamship

"ARRATON APAR."

Captain J. E. Hauer, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 30th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, 24th June, 1893.

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For Sale.

IMPORTANT INTIMATION.

NOW READY.

(PUBLISHED BY AUTHORITY.)

"THE HONGKONG DIRECTORY AND HONG LIST FOR THE FAR EAST," A DIRECTORY AND WORK OF REFERENCE ON ALL IMPORTANT LOCAL SUBJECTS FOR HONGKONG, MACAO, CHINA, JAPAN, THE STRAITS SETTLEMENTS, HAINAN, INDO-CHINA, NORTH BORNEO, THE PHILIPPINES, AND CORSA, FOR THE YEAR 1893.

PRICE THREE DOLLARS.

THE HONGKONG DIRECTORY has again been enlarged and will be THE CHEAPEST, MOST COMPLETE, AND MOST RELIABLE WORK OF THE KIND PUBLISHED IN THE FAR EAST.

THE above named work published at the Office of "THE HONGKONG DIRECTORY AND HONG LIST" containing a Directory for the Ports in the large portion of Asia between Penang, in the Straits Settlements, and the Northern Chinese Ports including Whampoa, Formosa, the Trade Ports of China and Japan, Cochin-China, the Philippine Islands, Corea, British North Borneo, the British Colony of Hongkong and the Portuguese Colony of Macao. It also contains the Principal Treaties between European countries and the United States and the countries East of the Straits, including the Treaties and Conventions between China and Great Britain, France, Germany, Russia, the United States of America, Brazil, Japan, Peru, Spain, and Portugal; together with conditions of Trade, and the Port, Customs, Consular, and Harbour Regulations for the Ports of China and Japan; also descriptions of the various Ports, with the latest Trade Statistics taken from the Reports of the Imperial Maritime Customs and other reliable sources.

The various Governments and Municipal Corporations, and all Public Bodies and Companies, Bankers, Merchants, Consuls, Professional men, and other Residents, have supplied the necessary matter, soon from specially sent for that purpose so as to ensure accuracy. The Naval and Military portions have been taken from the latest published official lists and revised at Head-quarters; in fact, no pains have been spared to make "THE HONGKONG DIRECTORY AND HONG LIST FOR THE FAR EAST" a handy and perfectly reliable book of reference for all classes.

In addition to the information enumerated above "THE HONGKONG DIRECTORY AND HONG LIST FOR THE FAR EAST" for 1893 contains a carefully revised INDEX TO THE ORDINANCES OF HONGKONG;

A SPECIAL LIST OF FOREIGNERS employed in Steamers making short voyages from Hongkong;

THE PRIVATE RESIDENCES of the Principal Government Officials, the Leading Merchants, the Foreign Consuls, Professional Men, Judges of the Peace, &c.

A LADIES DIRECTORY FOR HONGKONG.

The latest and only reliable PLAN OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, showing the proposed Reclamations and all recent additions and improvements,

AND A Mass of interesting information on various subjects, culled from the most trustworthy sources.

THE WINNERS of all IMPORTANT RACES at HONGKONG, SHANGHAI, FOOCHOW, and AMOY, with times, and other interesting particulars, carefully compiled from the most reliable sources, make "THE HONGKONG DIRECTORY AND HONG LIST FOR THE FAR EAST," a *vade mecum* for all classes of sportsmen.

"THE HONGKONG DIRECTORY AND HONG LIST FOR THE FAR EAST" for 1893 is Printed on a superior quality of Paper, and is the best printed and most handsomely bound volume ever published East of the Suez Canal.

"THE HONGKONG DIRECTORY AND HONG LIST FOR THE FAR EAST," in order that it may circulate extensively outside this Colony, is published at a POPULAR PRICE, and can be ordered at this Office, or through any of our Agents at the various Ports, for THREE DOLLARS.

There is not space in the compass of an ordinary advertisement to detail all the information introduced into the work, but it may be fairly asserted that no such Directory has ever been published, either in Hongkong or any other part of the East, at such a low price.

"THE HONGKONG DIRECTORY AND HONG LIST FOR THE FAR EAST" offers Special Advantages as an Advertising Medium. It has an extensive circulation in all Ports between Singapore and Newchwang, in the Australasian Colonies, the United States, and the United Kingdom, and the scale of charges has been fixed at an exceptionally low rate. Terms can be learned on application.

Suggestions for the improvement of this work are respectfully solicited.

Orders for COPIES, and for ADVERTISEMENTS may be sent to the Agents at the various Ports, or to the Office of "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH," Padre's Hill, Hongkong, 30th January, 1893.

## Intimations.

### VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

#### AERATED WATER'S.

WATER.—The Water is absolutely pure.

STEAM PLANT.—Of the latest and most powerful type.

SUPERVISION.—The whole process of manufacture is under the continuous supervision of a qualified English Chemist.

The PRODUCT.—Will bear comparison with the Water made by the most noted makers in England.

DAKIN, CRICKSHANK & CO., LTD.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY. [38]

### A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.

#### CHEMISTS BY APPOINTMENT.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

MANUFACTURERS OF AERATED WATERS.

OUR NEW FACTORY has been recently refitted with automatic Steam Machinery of the latest and most approved kind, and we are well able to compete in quality with the best English make.

The purest ingredients only are used, and the utmost care and cleanliness are exercised in the manufacture throughout.

#### "BOMBAY SODAS."

We continue to supply large bottles as heretofore, *Free of Extra Charge*, to those of our Customers who prefer to have them to the ordinary size.

#### COAST PORT ORDERS.

Whenever practicable, are despatched by first steamer leaving after receipt of order.

For COAST PORTS, Waters are packed and placed on board ships at Hongkong prices, and the full amount allowed for Packages and Empties when received in good condition.

Counterfoil Order Books supplied free on application.

Our Registered Telegraphic Address is

"DISPENSARY, HONGKONG."

And all signed messages addressed thus will receive prompt attention.

The following is a List of Waters always kept ready in Stock:—

PURE AERATED WATER

SODA WATER

LEMONADE

POTASH WATER

SELTZER WATER

LITHIA WATER

SARSAPARILLA WATER

TONIC WATER

LEMON-SQUASH

GINGER-ALF

RASPBERRYADE

GINGRAGE.

No Credit given for Bottles that look dirty or greasy, or that appear to have been used for any other purpose than that of containing Aerated Waters, as such Bottles are never used again by us.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED,

51 The Hongkong Dispensary, Hongkong.

#### TO SUBSCRIBERS.

SUBSCRIBERS TO "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH" ARE MOST RESPECTFULLY REMINDED THAT ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE.

#### MARRIAGE.

On the 23rd Inst., at Shanghai, by H.B.M. Consul-General, and afterwards at Trinity Cathedral, by the Rev. J. Bates, AMES ACHENBACH, Imperial Maritime Customs Service, to GERTUDE DU VERNET TYNDALL, fourth daughter of John Tyndall, Esq., formerly of Ceylon.

#### BIRTHS.

At the Thomas Habury School and Children's Home, 15A, Boons Road, Shanghai, on the 2nd June, the wife of WILLIAM YOUNGSON, Esq., Customs, of a son, who survived his birth two hours.

At Chefoo, on the 16th June, the wife of VIVIAN DENT, Imperial Maritime Customs, of a son.

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HONGKONG, TUESDAY, JUNE 27, 1893.

#### TELEGRAMS.

#### THE "VICTORIA" DISASTER.

FURTHER DETAILS.

LONDON, June 26th.

It has now been ascertained that four hundred and twenty-two lives were lost by the sinking of the *Victoria*.

The collision occurred at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

The Queen postponed a State Ball that was to have taken place.

The Governments of France, Germany, Italy, and the United States wired messages of sympathy.

Emperor William of Germany ordered the British and German flags to be hoisted together at half-mast on all German warships.

#### THE REICHSTAG ELECTIONS.

On the second ballot the Socialists carried the whole of the city of Berlin with the exception of one division.

#### CHOLERA.

MADRID, June 16th.

Cholera continues to be prevalent in Marseilles and Cete.

#### SPAIN AND CUBA.

The Deputies of the Cuban Unrest party are more than ever opposed to the reforms promoted in Congress, and are supported by telegrams from Cuba.

#### THE SPANISH MINISTRY.

Mr. Villanueva, member of the Council of Ministers, has resigned, and is replaced by Sr. P. Cruz.

#### A STRIKE OF LAWYERS!

All the lawyers at several centres have declared themselves on strike, in consequence of certain alterations in criminal law to their detriment. Who says now that there is not a trade-union among the "Devil's Own"?

#### DEATH OF A DYNAMITARD.

JUNE 21ST.

While an Anarchist was carrying a dynamite bomb in his pocket near the house of Sr. Canovas, the Infernal machine went off by accident, and killed him; several other persons were injured besides, and a companion who was walking with him is in serious danger.

(Special to N. C. Daily News)

#### THE VICEROY LI ON THE GEARY ACT.

TINTIN, June 21st, 1893.

The Viceroy Li Kuei-chang has told Dr. Macgowan that the Chinese Government should have retaliated promptly on the United States, but that he now approves the arrangement of a new treaty on terms of reciprocity.

We presume by this that the great Viceroy proposes to give Americans the same right in China that the Chinese have in the States.—ED.—N. C. D. N.]

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The total number of members in the Japan Red Cross Society at the end of May last was 45,134, while the funds of the Society amounted to \$93,000.75.

THE P. M. S. S. Co. steamer *City of New York*, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to the 8th Inst., has arrived at Yokohama, and will leave for this port to-morrow morning.

The *Comercio* reports that the steamer *Urus*, the largest steamer in the Spanish mercantile marine, will shortly be sent out to replace the *Isla de Potosi* on the Eastern run.

An Emergency meeting of St. John's Lodge, No. 6, S.C., will be held in Freemasons' Hall, Zealand Street, this evening, at 8.30 for a special precisely. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

Thus the *Nagasaki Express* of the 21st Inst.—"A couple of young girls, apparently desirous to travel, are said to have been discovered secreted on board a German steamer in harbour a few days ago by the police."

The Philippine papers give the results of the last 3 years' sugar export from the Spanish West Indies as follows:—Season 1891-2, 702,973 tons; 1892-3, 83,883; 1893-4, 731,282, showing a decrease of 128,865 tons during the past year.

The Rev. Mr. Macgregor remarked the other day that many a man thinks he is seeing life when he is really courting death. Nothing could be more true than that.

Mr. Macgregor's remark was made to our correspondent to address us. Does the Postmaster know that Mr. Bohm is in the habit of using the Post-office launch when engaged in his business as an hotel runner?

We do not for a moment believe that he does. But Mr. Bohm gets there somehow. This is the first time that complaint has been made to us.

It is quite possible that he has been using the Post-office launch when engaged in his business as an hotel runner.

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KNOWLEDGE IS power, except in the case of the man who knows he is licked. What does Jack Morley, the alleged, braver from Virginia City, think about it?

"PROFESSOR" Canaris, the pseudonym, after a long and profitable tour in the Philippine provinces, has returned to the capital, where he was to open for a brief season the 10th Inst.

WASHINGTON, May 29th.  
The Surgeon-General of the Marine Hospital Service has received a cablegram from Surgeon Irwin of that bureau, at Marcellus, France, stating that cholera exists in that city in a limited form. Surgeon White, the Marine Hospital expert at Hamburg, confirms the report of a death from cholera there yesterday.

GLASGOW, May 29th.  
Glasgow importers of Canadian cattle have cabled express to stop shipping, as the delays, owing to the requirement by the Board of Agriculture that cattle be slaughtered upon arrival, are ruinous to the trade. Three vessels loaded with cattle are waiting for the disposal of their cargoes and others are coming. Prices consequently have fallen £1 on each animal.

IN VIEW of the fact that there is no evidence of disease importers have again requested the Board of Agriculture to raise the embargo. The Board refuses to grant the request.

VANCOUVER (B.C.), May 29th.  
Negotiations for the taking over of Bellingham Bay and British Columbia Railway by the Canadian Pacific were concluded and the transfer made to-day. W. C. Van Horne, the president of the Canadian Pacific, who has been in the province for a few days, left suddenly this morning and went over the line and accepted it. The Canadian Pacific will put out steamers from Whatcom to Seattle, to give an independent road to that city pending securing a rail route.

Van Horne had made arrangements to meet several city delegations, but gave them the slip and left the city.

Chinese and Japanese fishermen are getting in shrewd work in the Fraser river salmon fisheries. Fishing licenses are issued only to British subjects, but the Asiatics are taking the whole of allegiance by scores, though they cannot speak a word of the language. The white fishermen are furious, and, in general, the public disapproves of this practice of citizenship.

OTTAWA (Ont.), May 29th.  
A proclamation putting in force from the 1st of June the act of 1892, granting American wreckers the right to operate in Canadian waters contiguous to the United States, is published in the Canadian Gazette.

On the same day the United States act, granting similar privileges to Canadian wreckers, will be brought into force by proclamation of the President. In future Canadians can employ labor and machinery free of duty in rescuing and restoring wrecker vessel property.

HAMBURG, May 29th.  
It is officially announced that one dead from cholera occurred here last Saturday.

LONDON, May 29th.  
The House of Commons assembled yesterday after the Whitsuntide recess. There was a small attendance, which discussed the subject of supply.

The Grand Jury found a true bill to-day against William Townsend, who discharged a pistol at Mr. Gladstone.

James Gilbert, the dynamiter, has been released from Portland prison. He was sentenced in 1883 to seven years' imprisonment for life, for having caused dynamite explosions at the Tower of London and Houses of Parliament. The reason for his release is said to be the breaking down of his health. A priest and nurse accompanied Gilbert to London.

He was taken to a hospital where a room had been engaged for him by the Irish Amnesty Association. Gilbert's appearance corroborates the recent reports of his health. He is very feeble and has had twenty years during his confinement.

The Times says in a lead on the Gray law: Even if the three Chinese arrested in New York be exiled, which probably is the furthest extent to which the retribution act will be carried, the Chinese Government will do well to shut its eyes to so minute a grievance and not commit the bound of offering a defiance likely to check the genoys of impulsive of the Amee law.

PARIS, May 30th.  
The Deputies have adopted an amendment to the electoral bill to provide for the exclusion from the Chamber of all salaried public officials. The amendment will render illegal the renomination of a x<sup>th</sup> member of the present Chamber, including the x<sup>th</sup> and other well-known men.

The Senate passed a bill to facilitate civil actions against the Panama and swindlers.

Sir Charles Ruellie disengaged the laws of other nations in the Bosphorus arbitration to-day on which the United States had to the ordinary limit. He will conclude to-morrow.

"Twenty thousand and at a half-thousand in Nimes. Department of the Gir, became turbulent and ended the death of the bull. The matadors, being intimidated, killed the bull. They will be prosecuted.

BERLIN, May 30th.

Twelve young noblemen have been arrested in Baja, Istria, a hunting conclave to separate Trieste from Austria and annex it to Italy.

Several days ago the pupil of the high school at Ploen, in Posen, visited Friederichshafen and paid their respects to Prince Bismarck. The ex-Chancellor was greatly complimented.

"It is a great blessing that we owe to God that our whole nation is more firmly linked together than for a long time before. We are living in a time of unrest, but possibly matters will again grow calm. Anywhere there is hope, so let us trust that science, commerce and labor will flourish, for the shedding of blood is a thankless business."

BUDA PESTH, May 30th.  
A ribbon factory in Toplis has been burned. The loss is \$50,000 dollars.

Countess Marie Reichenbach, wife of an army officer, has been arrested for consorting to murder her six-year-old twins. She had the children by her first husband, Count Pfeiffer, and she recently engaged a midwife to help her kill the twins. The attempt was unsuccessful. While planning a second attempt the Countess was arrested.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 30th.

The official cholera statement of the Minister of the Interior is the most encouraging yet issued. It states that the Volga district and the governments of Uralak and Ufa are now free from disease, while in the province of Saratoff, which suffered the most in 1891, 80,000 persons dying, there are only a few isolated cases. Cholera still lingers in the Caucasus, chiefly in the neighborhood of Elizabethgrad, but in sporadic form.

MADRID, May 30th.

The Government is quite uneasy regarding the agitation that is being carried on in the province of Navarre, in South-Eastern Spain, against the Government of the South. Orders have been issued to hold another demonstration in Pamplona on Sunday. Orders have been issued to the military authorities in the province to adopt stringent measures to prevent disorder, and leaders in the movement are being closely watched.

Vienna, May 30th.

Whilst inspecting the German Hussars, a crack Austrian regiment, on the parade ground,

the main barracks, on Sunday, Colonel Smasenay was angered by the clumsiness of a non-commissioned officer. He called the officer to him with an oath and gave him a box on the ear. Upon returning flushed and weeping to his men, the officer took a carbine and shot himself in the head. He died on the parade ground.

The affair has caused tremendous excitement throughout the garrison. It is reported that Emperor Francis Joseph has ordered the arrest of Colonel Smasenay, pending his trial by court-martial.

DUBLIN, May 30th.  
It was announced to-day in the Court of Bankruptcy that there is no estate to meet the claims against Michael Davitt, who was compelled to go into bankruptcy on account of his inability to meet the costs of proceedings successfuly instituted against him by Mahoney, his Parnellite antagonist, in the North Meath election, to deprive him of his seat, on the ground that clerical intimidation had been used in Davitt's behalf.

It appears that the cottage which Davitt occupies is the property of Mrs. Davitt, and cannot be touched in bankruptcy proceedings.

N.Y. (cont'd.), May 30th.  
The Herald's correspondent at Valparaiso cables: President Montt's speech at the opening of the regular session of the Chilean Congress on June 1st will contain suggestions for important reforms in the laws of the republic and show a decrease in the budget of expenses for the coming fiscal year.

There was a great fire yesterday in Santiago. The loss to the foreign fire insurance companies will reach \$400,000.

The Herald's correspondent in Arigas says that another body of revolutionists have been chased across the border into Uruguay. It is said that forged notes on the Bank of Brazil are being circulated among the government troops.

The Herald's correspondent in Montevideo telegraphs that representatives of the Brazilian revolutionists have proposed that the Uruguayan Government aid them in their struggle and that the State of Rio Grande do Sul be annexed to Uruguay. The Uruguayan Government declined to entertain the proposition and so informed the Brazilian minister.

May 31st.  
The Herald's correspondent in Montevideo says that great excitement has been caused by the story that a fight took place yesterday between Uruguayan troops and Brazilians who had crossed the border. He also says that there was a serious engagement between the revolutionists and the Brazilian Government troops at Querchado.

Each side lost heavily, but no advantage is gained to either. A son of Silvers Martins, the real leader of the revolution in Rio Grande do Sul, has gone to San Luis, where he hopes to gather a force of 2,000 men and confine the war against the Government. The Cossatistas claim that the Uruguayans are giving material assistance to the revolutionists in Rio Grande do Sul, and demand that the Brazilian Government retaliate by declaring war upon Uruguay.

The Herald's correspondent in Buenos Ayres telegraphs that fusion between the followers of President Pena of Argentina and Senor Roca is now assured, much to the disappointment of Mafra. Escalante has been asked to form a new Cabinet. The Government proposes to reform the tariff laws.

PARIS, May 31st.  
Sir Charles Russell concluded his argument of the British case before the Beijing sea tribunal to-day. He said this was the first occasion upon which a nation claimed property in a free swimming animal. The contention was untenable, and its advance derogatory to the freedom of the seas. It was an extravagant and unfounded pretension that International law sanctioned the seizure and condemnation of vessels of friendly powers.

Sir Charles dwelt upon the importance of the arbitration here submitted to by two great powers, one representing the old-world civilization, great in extent of dominion and greater in long-enduring traditions of liberty; the other a young but stalwart member of a family of nations, great also in territory and almost boundless in resources, the genius and enterprise of its people, and possessing enormous power for good in the future of the human race. Their presence as friendly litigants is a fact of great moral significance and their submission to arbitration a victory for peace, as the award will be it leaves the principles of international law untouched.

Attestment of Sir Charles, substantially going over his later's argument.

VIENNA, May 31st.  
It is learned that the Governor of Angora, Asiatic Turkey, has advised the Turkish Government to postpone indefinitely the trials of the Armenians accused of treasonable conspiracy and sedition, or abandon the trials entirely and release all prisoners. This advice is said to be prompted by fear of scandalous revelations in the event of trial. It is said that all the accused are willing to confess themselves guilty of sedition, but declare that they were driven to sedition by their master and that they were placed in their way when they wished to leave or enter the country. The commandant here says the passport of the American minister is of no value. It is read as though he had no right to be here.

The Governor of Turkestan reports the conviction of a Mahomedan woman in Kharashan for the murder of her husband. The man Wuyu and his wife Joutsawat, had lived happily together, till some three years ago the husband began to praise the beauty of a young woman who dwelt close by. This made the wife suspect the existence of an intrigue between her husband and the neighbour, and her suspicions became a positive conviction, when a couple of months afterwards he went out one evening before dark and did not come back till midnight. On his return she taxed him repeatedly with unfaithfulness. He lost his temper, abused her and flogged her with the handle of a hoe. Wresting the weapon from him in a passion, she struck wildly at him. The blade caught him on the temple and felled. The wounded man's mother came in and attended to his wound, but he died from next morning. As the wife was with child, the mother concealed the murder, and buried the corpse with the aid of a beggar who was passing by. Nearly a year and a half afterwards the affair came to the ears of the magistrate. The woman was arrested, tried and convicted, and in accordance with the law she has been sentenced to decapitation without delay. The mother is liable to punishment for not reporting the death, but it is proposed that she should be pardoned on account of the reason for which she concealed it. The man is sentenced to receive eighty blows and be dismissed from his post, on account of his negligence in not discovering the affaire; it remains for the Board to determine what penalty should be inflicted on the local magistrate for the laxity of his supervision.

CORINTO, NICARAGUA, June 1st.  
President Sacasa has resigned but he has gained the actual victory over the revolutionists. Both armies, under the new government, will be disbanded and all of the expenses of war incurred by either party will be considered a national debt to be paid out of the public treasury. In the new Government the revolutionists will have a majority in the Cabinet. Many of the revolutionists were dissatisfied with the terms of settlement but their opposition was overcome by the advice of cool-headed leaders, whose opinions prevailed. The presence of an American warship in Corinto is greatly needed. Americans and other foreigners are subjected to many indignities and obstacles are placed in their way when they wish to leave or enter the country. The commandant here says the passport of the American minister is of no value. It is read as though he had no right to be here.

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